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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.



Proclamation.

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JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—Greeting.

A PROCLAMATION.

J. F. McCreight, Attorney General, WHEREAS by a Proclamation Attorney General, of the 20th day of November, A. D. 1871, the time for the return of the Writ for the Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, for the Electoral District of Kootenay, was extended, and it was directed to be returned on or before the 26th day of January, instant.

And whereas it is doubtful, owing to the difficulty of communication at this season of the year, and other causes, whether the Writ can be so returned by the said 26th instant.

And whereas it is expedient further to extend the time for the return of the said Writ for the said Electoral District of Kootenay.

And whereas by Section 89 of the "Election Regulation Act, 1871," the Governor in Council is empowered to cause to be adopted such measures as may be necessary for removing any obstacle, or the doing of, or omission to do, any act of a technical or formal nature, by which, or by want of which, the dne course of an Election may be impeded.

NOW, KNOW YE, that for the purpose of giving the Returning Officers of the Electoral District of Kootenay further time to return the said Writ, the Governor in Council has extended the time for the return of the said Writ for the said Electoral District of Kootenay; and that the Writ for the said Electoral District of Kootenay shall be returned on or before the 15th day of February, next ensuing; and the Returning Officers are to govern themselves accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia to be hereunto affixed: Witness, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF OUR SAID Province of British Columbia, in Our City of VICTORIA, in Our said Province, this TWENTY-FIFTH day of JANUARY, in the year of Onr Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the thirty-fifth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
RICHARD WOODS,
Registrar, Supreme Court.

